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**CONTINUATION-IN-PART DECLARATION  
AND POWER OF ATTORNEY**

As below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name;

That I verily believe that I am the original, first and sole inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**HAND-HELD DATA ENTRY SYSTEM WITH REMOVABLE SIGNATURE PAD**  
described and claimed in the specification attached herewith or as filed on March 17, 1992 as U.S. Serial No. 07/852,480.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1,56(a).

**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF EARLIER U.S.  
APPLICATION(S) UNDER 35 U.S.C. 120**

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120, of any United States applications that are listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in those prior

applications in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a), which occurred between the filing date of the prior applications and the file date of this application:

**PRIOR U.S. APPLICATIONS FOR  
WHICH BENEFIT IS CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. 120**

<u>Ser. No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>	<u>Attorney Docket No.</u>
07/415,169	09-29-89	D. Hacker J. Walter	6943
07/451,322	12-15-89	A. Danielson D. Durbin	5769Y

The foregoing co-pending applications refer to the following earlier applications pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 120, and reference is hereby made to these earlier applications herein in accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 120:

<u>Ser. No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Inventor(s)</u>	<u>Attorney Docket No.</u>
07/143,921 (now abandoned)	01-14-88	A. Danielson D. Durbin	5769X
06/897,547 (now abandoned)	08-15-86	D. Durbin R. Lo G. Welsch S. Kelly	5769

Each of the foregoing listed co-pending and earlier applications is hereby incorporated herein by reference in its entirety including drawings and appendices.

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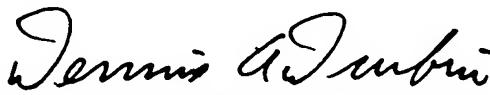
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**COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF  
ATTORNEY IN A CONTINUATION PATENT APPLICATION**

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**POCKET SIZE DATA CAPTURE UNIT WITH  
PROCESSOR AND SHELL MODULES**

described and claimed in the specification as filed on May 30, 1995 as U.S. Serial N<sup>o</sup> 08/453,687.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

**CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF EARLIER U.S.  
APPLICATIONS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 120**

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The present application is a continuation of application number 08/040,313 (attorney docket number 5769Z), filed March 29, 1993, which is a continuation-in-part of application number 07/451,322 (attorney docket number 5769Y), filed December 15, 1989, now United States Patent 5,227,614, issued July 13, 1993, which is a continuation-in-part of application number 07/143,921 (attorney docket number 5769X), filed January 14, 1988, now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of application

**DECLARATION AND  
POWER OF ATTORNEY**

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**“LASER SCANNER MODULE HAVING INTEGRAL INTERFACE WITH HAND-HELD DATA CAPTURE TERMINAL, PROXIMITY AND LABEL SENSING, AND ENHANCED SENSITIVITY AND POWER EFFICIENCY”**

described and claimed in a specification assigned Application No. 08/438,220, and filed on May 9, 1995.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified application, including the claims.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Sec. 1.56(a).

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PRIOR U.S. APPLICATIONS FOR WHICH  
BENEFIT IS CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. 120

<u>U.S. Serial No.</u>	<u>U.S. Filing Date</u>	<u>Named Inventor</u>	<u>Status</u>
08/215,115	03/17/94	Koenck, et al.	Pending
07/987,574	12/08/92	Koenck, et al.	USP 5,313,053
07/674,756	03/25/91	Koenck, et al.	Abandoned
07/777,393	12/06/91	Koenck, et al.	Pending
07/364,902	06/08/89	Danielson, et al.	Abandoned
07/364,594	06/07/89	Cargin, et al.	Abandoned
07/965,983	10/23/92	White, et al.	Abandoned
07/719,731	06/24/91	White, et al.	Abandoned
07/441,007	11/21/89	White	Abandoned
06/905,779	09/10/86	White	USP 4,882,476
07/960,520	10/13/92	Hanson	Abandoned
07/912,917	07/13/92	Hanson	Abandoned
07/881,096	05/11/92	Hanson	Abandoned
07/820,070	01/10/92	Hanson	Abandoned
07/786,802	11/05/91	Hanson	Abandoned
07/777,691	10/10/91	Hanson	Abandoned
07/735,610	07/23/91	Hanson	Abandoned
07/674,756	03/25/91	Koenck, et al.	Abandoned
07/660,615	02/25/92	Koenck, et al.	USP 5,218,187

(Prior U.S. applications continued)

<u>U.S. Serial No.</u>	<u>U.S. Filing Date</u>	<u>Named Inventor</u>	<u>Status</u>
07/633,500	12/26/90	Danielson, et al.	USP 5,202,817
07/561,994	07/31/90	Cargin, et al.	Abandoned
07/558,895	07/25/90	Koenck, et al.	Abandoned
07/426,135	10/24/89	Hanson	USP 5,218,188
07/347,849	05/03/89	Miller, et al.	Abandoned
07/347,602	05/03/89	Miller, et al.	Abandoned
07/345,200	04/28/89	Hanson	Abandoned
07/305,302	01/31/89	Miller, et al.	Abandoned
08/040,313	03/29/93	Danielson, et al.	Pending
07/451,322	12/15/89	Danielson, et al.	USP 5,227,614
07/143,921	01/14/88	Danielson, et al.	Abandoned
06/897,547	08/15/86	Durbin, et al.	Abandoned
07/947,036	09/16/92	Durbin, et al.	USP 5,308,966
07/875,791	04/27/92	Danielson, et al.	Abandoned
07/422,052	10/16/89	Danielson, et al.	Abandoned
06/894,689	08/08/86	Danielson, et al.	USP 4,877,949

PRIOR PCT INTERNATIONAL APPLICATIONS  
DESIGNATING THE U.S. FOR  
BENEFIT UNDER 35 U.S.C. 120

<u>PCT Application No.</u>	<u>PCT Filing Date</u>	<u>Status</u>
PCT/US90/03282	June 7, 1990	USP 5,410,141

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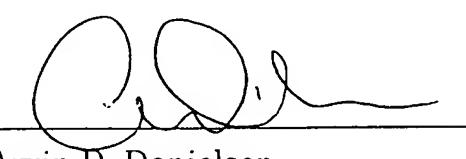
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number 06/897,547 (attorney docket number 5769), filed August 15, 1986, now abandoned.

The present application is also a continuation-in-part of application number 07/947,036 (attorney docket number 35740XYA), filed September 16, 1992, now United States Patent 5,308,966, issued May 3, 1994, which is a continuation of application number 07/875,791 (attorney docket number 35740XY), filed April 27, 1992, now abandoned, which is a continuation-in-part of application number 07/422,052 (attorney docket number 35740X), filed October 16, 1989, now abandoned, which is a division of application number 06/894,689 (attorney docket number 5740), filed August 8, 1986, now United States Patent 4,877,949, issued October 31, 1989.

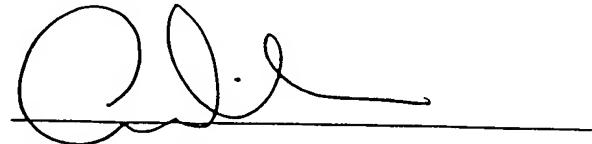
Each of United States Patent 5,227,614 (attorney docket number 5769Y) issued July 13, 1993, United States Patent 4,877,949 (attorney docket number 5740) issued October 31, 1989, and United States Patent 5,019,699 (attorney docket number 6240) issued May 28, 1991, is hereby incorporated herein by reference in its entirety including drawings and appendices. Additionally, United States patent application serial number 08/040,313 (attorney docket number 5769Z) is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety including drawings and appendices.

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